

ewcomers to Houston are often surprised by how "green" the City is. Located on a coastal plain, Houston's mild temperatures and frequent rainfall have birthed a City resplendent with trees and lush vegetation. The Mecom Fountain on Main Street highlights the City's Museum District.



Debt Service Fund

The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the payment of interest and principal on all general long-term debt other than debt issued for and serviced by Enterprise Funds.

CITY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS DEBT SERVICE FUND

Balance Sheets June 30, 2001 and 2000 amounts expressed in thousands

	2001			2000	
Assets		<u> </u>	·		
Equity in pooled cash and investments	\$	90,928	\$	87,216	
Receivables, net of allowances					
Accounts receivable		567		240	
Due from other funds		-		62	
Total assets	\$	91,495	\$	87,518	
Liabilities and fund balances					
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$	569	\$	60	
Accrued interest payable		1,323		1,085	
Total liabilities		1,892		1,145	
Fund balances					
Reserved for debt service		89,603		86,373	
Total fund balances		89,603		86,373	
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	91,495	\$	87,518	

CITY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS DEBT SERVICE FUND

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

For the Year Ended June 30, 2001

(With comparative amounts for 2000)

amounts expressed in thousands

	2001 Budget Actual		Variance Favorable		2000			
Revenues			Actual		(Unfavorable)		Actual	
Investment income	\$	3,290	\$	8,015	\$	4,725	\$	4,046
Other		4,796		3,129		(1,667)		1,751
Total revenues		8,086		11,144		3,058		5,797
Expenditures								
Debt service								
Principal		113,938		114,425		(487)		104,710
Interest		98,789		93,928		4,861		91,847
Fiscal agent and other fees		1,800		3,713		(1,913)		2,099
Total expenditures		214,527		212,066		2,461		198,656
Deficiency of revenues over expenditures		(206,441)		(200,922)		5,519		(192,859)
Other financing sources (uses)								
Proceeds from bond issuance		-		209,683		209,683		-
Transfers to fiscal agents		-		(209,594)		(209,594)		-
Operating transfers in		201,459		204,063		2,604		190,488
Total other financing sources (uses)		201,459		204,152		2,693		190,488
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing								
sources over expenditures		(4,982)		3,230		8,212		(2,371)
Fund balances, July 1		81,937		86,373		4,436		88,744
Fund balances, June 30	\$	76,955	\$	89,603	\$	12,648	\$	86,373

CITY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS

